

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In the Matter of the Application of: Leo Gustaaf Joanna Emiel Marien  
Serial No.: 10/557,633 Confirmation No.: 4032  
Filed: 11/17/2005  
For: High Pressure Discharge Lamp With End of Life Device  
Examiner: Britt D. Hanley Group Art Unit: 2879  
Attorney Docket No.: NL03641

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 17, 2008 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 17, 2008, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.